

## ARKANSAS RACE WAR

### THREE MEN KILLED—ONE FATALLY INJURED.

Negro Charged With Murder Resisted Arrest—Officer and Negro Both Wounded and a Fitted Battle Fought—Negroes Fled and a Posse in Pursuit.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 16.—The bloodiest race riot that has occurred in Arkansas in months took place at Palarm station, thirty miles from Little Rock, last evening. Three men are dead, another fatally wounded and two others injured. The dead are: Harrison Korr, a negro, shot at 10 pieces; Charles Peters, colored, killed outright; Charles Andry, white, shot through the heart.

The seriously injured are: J. T. Clarke, jr.; telegraph operator, shot through the shoulder, probably fatally; D. E. Owens, white, deputy sheriff of Perry county, shot through the groin, seriously.

Owens, a deputy sheriff from Perry county, had a warrant for Harrison Korr, a negro, charged with murder. When he attempted to make the arrest at Palarm, Korr opened fire on the officer. The first shot struck Owens in the groin. The bullet striking silver coin in the trousers pocket, glanced and inflicted a serious wound. The money in Owens' pocket probably saved his life. Andry and Clarke went to Owens' assistance and five or six negroes joined in with Korr. A pitched battle ensued, in which over fifty shots were fired.

When the shooting was over, Andry and Peters lay dead, Clarke had got into his office and fell on the floor. Owens was lying in a ditch near the station and Korr and the remainder of his companions had disappeared.

The entire town was at the scene of the shooting and a posse started in pursuit of the fleeing negroes. Harrison Korr was found lying dead in the road a mile away, literally shot to pieces, blood running from five wounds in his body. The other negroes who participated in the bloody affair continued their flight and have not yet been captured.

The whole country is in a fever of excitement and should Korr's associates be captured they will never come to trial.

## SENATOR GEORGE DEAD.

The Mississippi Statesman and Jurist Succumbs to a Protracted Illness.

MISSISSIPPI CITY, Miss., Aug. 16.—United States Senator J. Z. George died here at 2:40 o'clock Saturday afternoon. He had been suffering from heart disease some months and had been unable to be in Washington at the opening of Congress last December. Later he arrived in that city, but was compelled to go to Garfield hospital. Since his removal to his home here, his case had been conceded to be hopeless.

### Slashed Five Policemen.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 16.—James Elbert, arrested as a suspicious character and supposed to be an Anarchist, created big excitement at the police station by slashing five policemen with a razor. Elbert, after cutting his way through the guard of fifteen policemen, made his escape from the station by jumping sixty feet from a rear window, hotly pursued by officers, while blood streamed from their wounds. After a chase of several squares, Officer Coreless finally fired his revolver, the bullet taking effect in the prisoner's right arm, and he was then captured.

### Minor Fugitive Wins.

RICH HILL, Mo., Aug. 16.—A prize fight was fought to a finish on the state line of Kansas and Missouri, a little over a dozen miles west of Rich Hill at an early hour yesterday morning, between Guy Gordon, a minor pugilist of mine No. 15, and Ralph Holmes, of Foster, Mo. The stake was \$50 and a few side bets. Four rounds were fought. Holmes was bested in every round, and at the end of the fourth was unable to respond to the call of time. Gordon was thereupon declared the winner.

### Crazy Nebraskan's Crime.

GREELEY, Neb., Aug. 16.—Yesterday morning John D. Maw, a farmer living a few miles from here, attacked his married daughter, Mary J. Hughes, with a hammer. He crushed her skull, inflicting fatal injuries. He drove the family from the house and set fire to it, and then fired the wheat stacks and barns. Maw, who is 60 years old, has been mentally unbalanced for years, but was thought harmless. He is in jail.

### Anacosta Welcomes Bryan Nostalgia.

ANACOSTA, Mont., Aug. 16.—Amid the booming of cannon, rattle of musketry and cheers of 1,000 people, the train bearing William J. Bryan and party arrived here last night. At the Montana hotel, Mr. Bryan spoke from the balcony, and was followed by Senator Mantel and Congressman Hartman and Marcus Daly. Mrs. Bryan made her appearance for a moment and was cheered.

### Creeds Colon May Close.

DEWEY, Col., Aug. 16.—It is probable that the great silver mines of Creeds, Col., will be closed down on account of the low price of silver, unless the railroad and smelting rates are reduced.

### Steel Prices Going Up.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 16.—An average increase of \$3 a ton in the price of structural steel has been made at the mills in this city within the past three or four days, and another advance is looked for.

## WOODMEN RIOT.

Head to Head Fight Between Fulton and Rock Island Citizens.

FULTON, Ill., Aug. 16.—The long standing fight between this town and Rock Island, Ill., for the location of the headquarters of the Modern Woodmen of America culminated yesterday in a hand-to-hand fight between scores of partisans of the respective towns in which a number of persons were seriously injured.

A party was made up in Rock Island and plans were made for a raid on the Fulton headquarters, with the object of forcibly taking possession of the books, records, etc., of the order and removing the office of Head Clerk Hawes to Rock Island. A train was chartered, consisting of three coaches, a baggage car and two box cars, and the invaders were soon on their way to Fulton. The inhabitants of the latter town were forewarned, however. A fire alarm was sounded and lines of hose were laid to the points where it was thought the Rock Islanders would be most likely to disembark.

The arrival of the special train was the signal for hostilities to begin. There was intense feeling on both sides, and a great variety of weapons, this combination resulting in the following casualties:

Will Bennett, city marshal of Fulton, head cut, believed to be fatally hurt; W. H. Flannagan, head badly cut; James Carrier, head cut; Ed Bare, head and arms injured; Chris Miller, Lyons, Ia., head cut; P. J. Casey, Moline, Ill., head badly injured; Cornelius O'Brien, Rock Island, injured in arms; Albert Spencer, Rock Island, face cut; Walter Fowler, Fulton, head cut; Charles Weinberger, Rock Island, head cut; T. Burns, Rock Island, head cut; E. Winter, Rock Island, cut over right eye; G. W. Sample, Rock Island, head and face cut; James Mulcahy, Rock Island, head cut, considered serious; Andrew Lunheim, Fulton, head injured, considered serious; L. V. Eyekhart, Rock Island, head cut.

A score of others were more or less bruised and cut. The fight lasted for an hour or more, rocks, clubs and missiles of every description being wielded industriously by the opposing forces. The Fultonites finally got the better of the fight and Deputy Sheriff Farley effected the arrest of Head Attorney Johnson of the Modern Woodmen, one of the Rock Island party, and a number of his companions.

### Reading for the Klondike.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 16.—Nearly every Klondiker leaving Tacoma provides himself with a copy of the Bible and Shakespeare. Booksellers here say their supply of these books has been entirely exhausted during the last two weeks and orders for a larger stock have been placed by telegraph. A party of twelve from Missouri, who bought their outfits here Saturday, took with them eight copies of the Bible and twelve copies of Shakespeare.

### Canovas Laid to Rest.

MADRID, Aug. 16.—The funeral of Senor Canovas Del Castillo yesterday was a most touching and solemn ceremony. A peculiar poignant scene ensued as the Duke of Sotomayor, Marshal Martinez Campos, Marquis Pazo De La Merced and the other pall bearers listed the coffin. Senor Canovas in a clear, firm tone, said: "I desire that all should know I forgive the assassin. It is the greatest sacrifice I can make; but I make it for the sake of what I know of my husband's great heart."

### Is Ever for Silver.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Senator Stewart of Nevada requests the publication of a denial of recent interviews with him on the subject of silver and finance. He says: "There appears to have been a conspiracy to misrepresent me and my colleague. Neither of us have given out the interviews reported, nor any other interviews at variance with our life long devotion to the free and unlimited coinage of silver by the United States alone at the ratio of 16 to 1."

### A Greely Survivor's Crime.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Charles W. Clifford, who killed his wife and himself yesterday, was a member of the famous Greely Arctic expedition and took part in the killing of Henry, whom hunger had driven to steal part of the supplies portioned out to others.

### Hangs a Spanish Spy.

KEY WEST, Fla., Aug. 11.—Late Havana advices state that a Spanish spy, Miguel Besta, was hanged without trial by Balderme Acosta, a prominent Cuban leader. Besta had been employed by Weyer to visit Acosta's camp and assassinate him.

### Two Blacklist Damage Suits.

MASCOUAT, Ill., Aug. 16.—Damage suits for \$25,000 each against the Illinois Central and Mobile & Ohio railroads were begun yesterday by R. D. Rogers, a telegraph operator of Belleville, who claims to be a victim of the blacklist since 1894.

### Potato Blight in Ireland.

DUBLIN, Aug. 16.—A potato blight is ravaging the counties of Clare and Limerick. Prices have quadrupled, and there is only a supply for two months.

### "Cap" Anson's Daughter Engaged.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—The engagement of Miss Grace Anson, daughter of the well known ball player, Adrian C. Anson, and Mrs. Anson, to Walter M. Clough, formerly of Leavenworth, Kan., is announced.

### Scotch Oil Combine Collapses.

GLASGOW, Aug. 14.—The Scotch oil trade combine has collapsed, owing to the decision of the various companies not to fix the price of the coming winter.

## INTERNATIONAL DUEL

### ITALIAN AND FRENCH NOBLEMEN CROSS SWORDS.

Frenchman Gets Worst of It—Prince Henri of Orleans Seriously Wounded—Caused by Criticism of the Italian Army in Abyssinia by the Latter.

PARIS, Aug. 16.—The Count of Turin and Prince Henri of Orleans fought a duel with swords at 5 o'clock yesterday morning at the Bois de Marechaux at Vancresson. H. Leontieff acted as umpire. The fighting was most determined and lasted twenty-six minutes. There were five engagements, of which two were at close quarters. Prince Henri received two serious wounds, in the right shoulder and the right side of the abdomen. The Count of Turin was wounded in the right hand. Prince Henri was taken to the residence of the Duc de Chartreuse and received medical attendance.

The condition of Prince Henri of Orleans is as satisfactory as could be expected. The doctors, after consultation, expressed the opinion that no important organ was touched, but absolute rest is necessary for recovery. Owing to rumors at Naples and elsewhere, the public had not expected a duel to come off. It was, therefore, quite private.

It appears that the police had been unusually active and had ordered the foresters to watch carefully all places likely to be chosen for the encounter, but everybody was deceived by the unusually early hour chosen.

The Temps says that the wound in the abdomen of Prince Henri is serious, but not alarming. Had the Count of Turin's steel gone half a centimeter deeper, the intestines would have been perforated. After his wound had received a preliminary dressing, Prince Henri walked to his carriage unaided. The Count of Turin, accompanied by his seconds, left Paris for Italy. He was not experiencing any special distress from his wounds.

The duel grew out of certain criticisms made by Prince Henri of Orleans upon the conduct of the Italian officers and soldiers while prisoner of the Emperor Menelik in Abyssinia. These criticisms were published early in July in the New York Herald and the Paris Figaro, for which Prince Henri has been writing of his travels in Abyssinia, which began last February.

### Enthusiasm in Rome.

ROME, Aug. 16.—The news of the result of the duel has been received with the greatest enthusiasm. Crowds fill the streets, cheering for the Count of Turin and the army, and calling upon the bands in the public squares to play the royal hymn. Many of the houses are decorated with flags in honor of the result, and all newspapers have issued special editions of the encounter. Extra guards have been mounted at the French embassy and consulate. Congratulatory telegrams are showered upon members of the royal family from all parts of Italy, and many have been received from abroad.

The general belief is that King Humbert must have acquiesced in the count's action. It is unlikely that any diplomatic complications will ensue. Emperor William has telegraphed the count his warmest congratulations. At the principal cafes champagne flows freely to-night in toasts to the Count of Turin, whose popularity is now boundless.

### Golli Tried by Court-Martial.

VERGARA, Spain, Aug. 16.—Miche Angiolillo, alias Golli, was tried here yesterday morning by court martial for the murder of Senor Canovas del Castillo at the baths of Santa Agueda on August 8. The court consisted of a lieutenant colonel and six captains of artillery. All the statements of Angiolillo were submitted in writing. The sentence of the court-martial will not be divulged until it has been confirmed by the supreme council of war.

### Military Bicycle Corps.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 16.—Lieutenant James Moss and the members of the bicycle corps of the Twenty-fifth regiment, U. S. A., will leave Jefferson barracks to-day and return by rail to their regiment at Fort Missoula, Mont. When Lieutenant Moss reaches Missoula his first duty will be to prepare a detailed report of the trip and forward it to the war department.

### Korean Prince Cremated.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The body of Pom Kwang Soh, the former Korean minister to this country, whose death occurred here last Friday, was yesterday cremated according to the expressed wishes of the deceased, and his ashes placed in the keeping of the present minister, Chin Pom Ye. Later they may be returned to Korea.

### Ball Drifts Three Feet High.

PUEBLO, Col., Aug. 16.—Storms around Pueblo yesterday afternoon damaged railroads north, east and south. Twenty miles north of Pueblo hail fell in great quantities and drifted to a depth of three feet in some places while covering the surface of the ground three inches.

### Preston to Stand Trial.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 16.—Henry L. Preston was bound over to the grand jury this morning by Justice Lora at Independence and his bond was fixed at \$1,500. Not being able to furnish the necessary security, Preston was taken back to jail.

### The Cobden Club Honors Lanier.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The members of the Cobden club have named a special gold medal to be struck for presentation to the Canadian premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in formal recognition of his attachment to free trade.

## DETERMINED AS EVER.

Striking Miners Show No Signs of Weakening.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 16.—A leaden sky and stifling showers contributed to the feeling of depression which existed at the miners' camps at Turtle and Plum Creeks yesterday. The men huddled together for shelter under the commissary tents, and, having nothing else to do, put in the time smoking and discussing the strike in all its phases. The spirit of aggressiveness, however, has largely died out. The same grim determination to stick it out until starvation brings defeat or their efforts bring victory is apparent, but there are no propositions to attain their ends by force, or to go contrary to the sheriff's orders.

Yesterday afternoon there was a large mass meeting at Plum Creek. About 1,000 strikers and 200 miners from the Plum Creek mine were present. Speeches were made by President Ratchford, Samuel Gompers, James I. Sovereign and the local leaders. The meeting was orderly and there was no interference from the deputies.

## CONDENSED NEWS.

Many towns in Western Kansas are unable to get cars to haul wheat.

Albert Bial, the well known New York music hall manager, is dead.

The Union Iron Works of San Francisco will supply diagonal armor for the Wisconsin at \$300 a ton.

Figures given out at the patent office show that a considerable proportion of inventors are women.

The Dingley law rates on bicycles are likely to shut out American wheels from Germany through retaliation.

French makers of straw hats are reaping a harvest supplying sunbonnets for horses.

The mayor of Lincoln, Neb., has removed the chief of police for making war on the gamblers.

Pamphlets calculated to strengthen opposition to the federal courts are to be distributed broadcast over Kansas.

It is reported from Chicago that the Dingley tariff on crockery will cause a 10 or 15 per cent advance in prices.

It is officially announced that Ethan A. Hitchcock of St. Louis has accepted the position of minister to Russia.

The boll worm is after cotton in Texas. Not much damage has been done yet.

Mrs. Angell's mother testifies that her daughter was never married to Jay Gould.

The Presbyterian Board of Home Missions will send two ministers to the Klondike country.

Professor Lincoln of Wisconsin University was disfigured for life by an explosion in his laboratory.

Fire destroyed half the business part of Cleveland, Ok. It is said the fire was of incendiary origin.

Ten Missouri Pacific freight cars were wrecked between Neal and Toronto, Kan. Loss \$35,000.

The Populists, Democrats and Silver Republicans of Wyandotte county, Kan., will fuse on a county ticket.

Populists, Democrats and Silver Republicans of Harvey county, Kan., have nominated a fusion county ticket.

Ex-Congressman Treloar has purchased the Mexico, Mo., Tribune, the only Republican paper in Audrain county.

Attorney-General Crow and Insurance Commissioner Orear of Missouri are preparing to wage war on the insurance combine.

Congressman Ashley B. Wright was found dead in his sitting room by his wife at his home in North Adams, Mass.

Osman Digna, the famous Dervish general, has been summoned by the Khalifa to make a final stand against the Anglo-Egyptian expedition.

Reese & Downey, who own a 135 acre apple orchard a few miles east of Atchison, sold their entire crop to New York men for \$14,000.

Miss Adelaide Fairbank, only daughter of the Indiana Senator, was married without her parents knowledge to Dr. Horace R. Allen, Jr.

A parliamentary committee has recommended to the French deputies a moderate tax on theater tickets, a heavy tax on passes and the abolition of season tickets.

Fifteen thousand persons attended the political picnic at Hughesville, Mo., and heard speeches by Congressmen Dockery, Clark and Cooney and others.

It is rumored in Wall street that Comptroller of the Currency Eckels, whose term soon expires, has been invited to accept the presidency of a trust company.

J. A. R. Elliott of Kansas City won the Kansas City Star cup from Sim Glover of Rochester, N. Y., by a score of 92 to 84. In a match shot at 100 live birds in Rochester.

H. S. Snyder, a Sheldon, Mo., farmer back from the Klondike, said at Sedalia that he had found gold worth \$575 in eleven days and would return in the spring, but that the hardships of the country could hardly be exaggerated.

One-half of the Devil's backbone, the rocky fortress of the Hatfields in West Virginia, was shattered by dynamite by a sheriff's posse. Several of the posse were wounded, but the Hatfields escaped.

United States Senator McLaurin of South Carolina is seriously ill.

John Bribery Walker, editor of the Cosmopolitan, says that his new university, of which Dr. Andrews, formerly of Brown, is to be president, will be called the Cosmopolitan university and be conducted on the Chautauque correspondence plan.

As a result of a game of base ball between Rockport and Stumptown, Mo., Albertus Sons killed Lon Hayes by striking him with a brickbat on the base of the brain. The boys were about 18 years old and of good families.

## NEWS BOILED DOWN.

Missouri dairymen report that the necessary business is not flourishing.

The victory of Francis Marion Griffith, silver Democrat, for Congress in the Fourth Indiana district is conceded by 1,100 majority.

The regents of the Missouri University are considering plans for the erection of the club house or dormitory for which the Legislature appropriated \$31,000. It will be completed in February next.

A remarkable religious revival is in progress at Salisbury, Mo., and is meeting with such success that "old enemies hug and kiss each other, and men who have not spoken for ten years, weep like babies in each other's arms."

About 3,000 Southwestern merchants are in New York buying goods.

The cotton crop in Arkansas will exceed 10,000,000 bales, it is asserted. The crop throughout the South will be immense.

Missouri Day was celebrated by the people of Boone, Cooper, Howard, Randolph, Monroe, Callaway and Audrain counties.

Miss Maude McAllister, while fooling with a revolver, accidentally and fatally wounded Miss Eliza Riggs, near Harrisburg, Mo. The young women were members of a camping party.

Washington Corrington, a millionaire farmer of Peoria, Ill., will devote his fortune of \$1,500,000 to the establishment in that city of an institute for education on an ethical basis.

The Board of Geographic Names has set to work to settle the spelling of Alaskan names officially.

Governor Mount has paroled Noah Baney, Indiana convict, to give him an opportunity to prove that Rev. William E. Henshaw, now serving a life sentence for wife murder, is not guilty.

Anglo-Egyptian expedition up the Nile has captured Abu Hamid, the Dervish leader. Two British officers were killed in the battle.

Anarchist leaders in Paris confess that they knew a prominent personage was to be put out of the way, but were unaware of his identity.

Telegraphic advices announce the death by drowning of the celebrated Amazonian explorer Fiscarrald.

It is reported that the Peruvian government, in a few days, will decree the payment of customs duty in gold.

The 5-year-old son of A. R. Gore died at Wichita, Kan., from eating a cigarette.

E. E. Baker has brought suit for divorce at Denison, Texas, on the ground that his wife drinks a gallon of buttermilk a day against his wishes and snores so loud he cannot sleep.

Druggist Smock, who killed M. L. Chevront at Shelbyville, Mo., because his wife said he followed her, has been refused bail and remanded to jail to await the action of the grand jury. Public sentiment is strongly against Smock.

Near Nevada, Mo., Mrs. James Thomas united with the Holiness church and was baptized. Upon her return home her husband forced her to a creek and rebaptized her, face foremost. She started to church in the evening, but he compelled her to return home.

The Spanish prosecution has demanded that Evangelina Cisneros, niece of the Cuban president, be sent to the African penal colony of Ceuta for twenty years. It is a loathsome place, rocky, sterile and torrid, and the worst class of Spanish criminals are sent there to sicken and die.

## FEDERAL COURTS AN ISSUE

Kansas Populists Want All But the Strictest Dropped.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 16.—If well laid plans do not fail, the state will be almost flooded within the next two weeks with literature calculated to strengthen opposition to the federal courts.

The Populist executive committee has so decided and already steps have been taken in that direction. The executive committee has prepared several articles on the subject which Grant Harrington of Haysworth took home with him and will, it is understood, print on his own presses.

Meanwhile the Populist press of the state is to publish editorials and interviews with leading members of the party, declaring in favor of the abolishment of all federal courts below the supreme court.

### To Klondike by Balloon.

OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 16.—M. Ayer, a real estate man of Oakland, proposes to establish balloon services between Juneau and Dawson. E. A. Hugheson is with him in the scheme as soon as he can induce those interested in the scheme to subscribe \$2,000. M. Ayer, who has evolved this plan, is an old balloonist and says the scheme is practicable. He says the trip from Juneau to Dawson City ought to be made in twenty-four hours.

### Nicaragua Sore at Costa Rica.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Aug. 16.—Some of the advisers of President Zevallos are endeavoring to rally the people of Nicaragua to sustain him in a war with Costa Rica, because of ill feeling between the two governments.

### Another Japanese Minister.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The government of Japan has decided to establish a legation in Peru and has already appointed Mr. Joshi Dumi-Murata as minister resident. He is also accredited to Mexico. This is the first mission from Japan to Peru.

### Kid McCoy the Better Man.

DAYTON, Ohio, Aug. 16.—Kid McCoy knocked out Dan Bayliff of Lima, Ohio, here at Casino hall in the third round. Bayliff showed considerable pluck, but was no equal for McCoy as a scientific fighter.

## ONE THOUSAND MORE.

Two Big Ships Sail for Alaska With eager Gold Seekers.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 16.—There were in Victoria this morning close upon 1,000 men of every class and from every part of the world, who were crazy to get started on the long trip to the new Eldorado. These men had tickets which will carry them to Skaguay bay on the big collier Bristol or the steamer Islander, both of which sailed to-day. The Bristol has been fitted with bunks for men and stalls for horses from the bottom of her hold to the top of her cabin deck, and every bunk and stall is occupied, close upon 500 men going on the Bristol, and just as many horses and mules. Even the big collier is filled up, the food for those animals and the outfits for the men taking up an immense amount of space.

The Islander has just as big a crowd, but much of the space on her is taken up by a contingent of mounted police, the horses, dogs and outfits. They realize that they have a winter's trip before them before the reach Dawson City, and are taking dogs and sleighs.

Horses will be taken as far as possible, and when they are of no more use, will be killed and used as food for dogs. A few of the men are going up with the idea of purchasing cheap outfits from men who become discouraged and are turning back, but most of them are well provided for, and all are taking pack animals, they having in this respect, taken the advice of men who went before and have written of the difficulty of securing animals or Indians to pack goods across the pass.

## NO STRIKE IN KANSAS.

Miners and Operators Practically Agree on a Compromise.

PITTSBURG, Kan., Aug. 16.—At 2:30 yesterday morning, after being in session all night in the parlors of the Hotel Stilwell, the miners and the operators in conference came to a partial agreement, the concessions made being such as to agree for the speedy settlement of all differences. The meeting adjourned to meet to-day. The agreement which is to be signed then is as follows:

The miners are to receive 55 cents for mine-run coal in the summer and 82½ cents for screened coal. Fifty-eight cents for mine-run coal in the winter and 87 cents for screened coal per ton. Semi-monthly pay, commencing with September 15. One dollar and eighty cents for entry yardage and 10 cents per box for loading dirt, and \$2 per day for day hands. In the agreement reached the miners have gained a partial victory, and the concessions made will undoubtedly bring the disputes of the miners and operators to a peaceful termination.

## HARPER'S JOINT WAR.

Officials to Be Prosecuted for Neglect of Duty.

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 16.—The trouble at Harper over the joint recently opened at that place is increasing. The temperance people have organized a secret movement and are raising funds with which to prosecute Mayor Muir and County Attorney Jones. An executive committee of the Home League has been appointed, with instructions to raid the saloon and prosecute every city and county official who is guilty of neglecting his duty. Mayor Muir and his associates say that the policy of local license by monthly fine is backed by the sentiment of a majority of the community and that they do not intend to concede a thing to the temperance agitators.

It is reported that several hundred dollars have been raised to prosecute the campaign against the jointists and the city and county officials who wink at the alleged violation of the prohibitory law. Union meetings of all the churches are being held, and radical measures advocated. Serious trouble is expected. Excitement runs very high.

## BREIDENTHAL IS OUT.

Succeeded by Taylor Riddle as Leader of the Kansas Populists.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 14.—John W. Breidenthal, who has been chairman of the Populist state central committee for the past five years, during which time he has twice piloted the Populists to victory, resigned last night. Taylor Riddle of Marion was elected to fill the vacancy. Mr. Riddle was a district member of the committee, and his elevation to the chairmanship left a vacancy there which was filled by the election of Dr. E. W. Wharton of Yates Center. E. J. Westgate of Garden City was chosen as a member of the executive committee. The Populists of the state were almost a unit in demanding that Breidenthal remain as chairman, but he was determined to quit.

### More Strike Injunctions.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Aug. 16.—Immediately upon Judge Jackson's return from his vacation Saturday night, he opened court and heard applications for injunctions in six cases against Fred Dilcher, et al, leaders of the mining strike in Fayette county. In each case an injunction was granted.

### Engineers' Strike Spreading.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The dispute between the engineers and employers is extending steadily to new districts. Four centers, notable among them Sheffield and Oldham, are affected by the trouble this week, and more than 70,000 men are now involved.

### Winnebagoes Reported on a Spree.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 16.—It is rumored here that the Winnebagoes on the reservation, sixty-five miles north, are celebrating the sale of their wheat crop by a spree and that 100 are in arms and are threatening the reservation officials.